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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :
TAKAO SAWADA, ET AL. : ATTN: APPLICATION DIVISION
SERIAL NO: NEW U.S. PCT APPLICATION :
(BASED ON PCT/JP2002/006127)
FILED: HEREWITH :
FOR: METHOD FOR REDUCING :
FLUCTUATION OF CUT-OFF :
VOLTAGE, CATHODE FOR :
ELECTRONIC TUBE, AND :
METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING :
CATHODE FOR ELECTRONIC :
TUBE

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
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SIR:

Prior to a first examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.